

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant(s)	:	James Hunter Boone, et al.		
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Customer No.	:	05251		

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Dear Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Final Office Action dated November 1, 2007.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.